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On May 11, 2017 at 6:39am the Slinger Police Department responded to an address in the 600 block of Elly's Way for a fire in the garage.

Upon arrival officers observed smoke coming from the vents and garage door. All residents were able to remove themselves from the residence. Slinger Fire Department arrived on scene and was able to extinguish the fire in quick fashion.

After the fire was extinguished it was found that the fire was contained to the garage itself however the condo as well as the next door attached condo had both suffered some smoke damage.

No injuries were sustained during this event.

The cause of the fire is still under investigation.

The Slinger Police Department was assisted by the Washington County Sheriff's Department and the Slinger Fire Department was assisted by the Hartford Fire Department, Jackson Fire Department, St. Lawrence Fire Department and LifeStar Rescue.